GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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SCANNING AND MICROFILMING OF SURVEY REPORTS IN KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received a proposal for scanning and microfilming of survey records in 168 taluks in Karnataka;

(b) if so, whether a pilot project for scanning of survey records has been approved by the Government of India;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) if not, the reasons thereof; and

(e) the time by which final decision in this regard is likely to be taken?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU)

(a) to (e) A proposal costing Rs.16.78 crore for scanning, cleaning, indexing and preservation of cadastral survey records of 163 taluks was received from the State Government of Karnataka during the financial year 2005-06. The proposal was examined and funds to the tune of Rs.8.84 crore have been released to the State Government of Karnataka during the financial year of 2006-07 for the said purpose under the scheme of computerisation of land records as per the guidelines of the scheme.